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All references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 were cited in the specification; or in the International Search Report dated 12 February 2004, and a copy of that search report, which indicates the degree of relevance found by the International Search Authority, is attached; or in the International Preliminary Examination Report dated 26 March 2004, and an English-language copy of that examination report, which indicates the degree of relevance found by the international examining authority, is attached; or in the Combined Search and Examination Report from The Patent Office in Great Britain dated 10 March 2003, and an English-language version of that search report, which indicates the degree of relevance found by that Patent Office, is attached.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this application is respectfully requested.

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BC	Combined Search and Examination Report from The Patent Office in Great Britain dated 10 March 2003 for Application No. 0223838.4
BD	Written Opinion dated 22 April 2004 for Application No. PCT/GB03/04416
BE	Response dated 20 July 2004 to Written Opinion for Application No. PCT/GB03/04416

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